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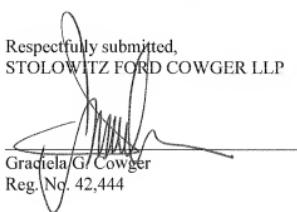
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Cathy Liu
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**APPLICANT'S COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S STATEMENT OF
REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

Although the applicants' attorney agrees with the Examiner's conclusion that these claims are allowable, the applicants' attorney notes that the claims may be allowable for reasons other than those identified by the Examiner and does not concede that the Examiner's characterizations of the terms of the claims and the prior art are correct.

Respectfully submitted,
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